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TAGS: PFOR, SA, US

SUBJECT: MESSAGE FROM THE SECRETARY TO FOREIGN MINISTER  
PRINCE SAUD

1. PLEASE PASS FOLLOWING MESSAGE FROM THE SECRETARY TO  
HIS ROYAL HIGHNESS PRINCE SAUD BIN FAISAL.
2. BEGIN TEXT: YOUR ROYAL HIGHNESS: I WAS DELIGHTED  
TO RECEIVE THE NEWS OF YOUR APPOINTMENT AS MINISTER OF  
FOREIGN AFFAIRS. YOUR ELEVATION TO THIS POSITION  
DEMONSTRATES THE CONFIDENCE WHICH HIS MAJESTY KING  
KHALID OBVIOUSLY FEELS FOR YOUR JUDGMENT AND ABILITIES.  
I HAVE GREATLY ENJOYED THE RECENT OPPORTUNITIES WE HAVE  
HAD TO EXCHANGE VIEWS AND I LOOK FORWARD TO FURTHER  
OPPORTUNITIES IN THE FUTURE IN WORKING CLOSELY WITH YOU  
AND YOUR GOVERNMENT IN OUR PURSUIT OF A JUST AND FINAL  
SETTLEMENT IN THE MIDDLE EAST. WITH WARM REGARDS, HENRY A.  
KISSINGER. END TEXT. INGERSOLL

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